

# The China Mail.

Established February, 1845.



Vol. XII. No. 6774.

號四十四月四年五十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 1885.

日九廿月二年酉乙

Price: \$2 PER MONTH.

## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALAR, 11 & 13, Old Broad Street, E.C. 4. GEORGE STREET & CO., 30, Cornhill, LONDON. & GORON, 1, Leadenhall Street, E.C. 3. HENRY & CO., 37, Wallbrook, E.C. 3. SARGENT, DEACON & CO., 100 & 104, Leadenhall Street, LONDON. PARIS AND EUROPE.—ANDREU PAINCE & CO., 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 21, Park Avenue. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORON, Melbourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO AND AMERICAN PORTS.—BRYAN & BLACK, San Francisco. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, & SATEL & CO., Singapore. C. HENNINGSEN & CO., Manila. CHINA.—MORRIS A. A. DE MELO & CO., 10, Cross Street, Singapore. A. W. WILSON, 10, Cross Street, Singapore. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., 10, Cross Street, Singapore. W. H. FORBES, Esq., 10, Cross Street, Singapore.

## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$7,500,000  
Reserve Fund, \$4,400,000  
Reserve for Equalization, \$400,000  
Reserve for Liabilities, \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman—Hon. F. D. SASSOON.  
Deputy Chairman—A. M. OLIVER, Esq.  
O. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq.  
H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.  
W. H. FORBES, Esq.

Chief Manager, HONGKONG, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.  
Shanghai, E. W. CAMERON, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS, LONDON AND LONDON.

HONGKONG.  
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
For Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 28, 1885. 347

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.
- 3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.
- 4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.
- 5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.
- 6.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Post by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any value.
- 8.—Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked "On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business," be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 11.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.
- 12.—All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, April 28, 1884. 718

NOW READY.  
PRICE, \$1.00.  
COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW  
By E. H. PARKER.

Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., Hongkong, and at the Chinese Mail Office.

## Bank.

### THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts 1862 to 1883.)

CAPITAL, £2,000,000  
IN 200,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH.

REGISTERED OFFICE,  
40, Threadneedle Street, LONDON.

BRANCHES:  
In INDIA, JAPAN, CHINA and the COLONIES.  
LONDON BANKERS:  
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED.  
THE BANK OF SCOTLAND, EDINBURGH, LONDON & BRANCHES.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.  
At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per annum.  
" 6 " " 4 " " "  
" 12 " " 5 " " "

On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
Credits granted, Remittances, Exchanges, Loans, and every description of Banking Business transacted.

CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED.  
H. A. HERBERT, Manager.  
Hongkong, March 25, 1885. 522

## Notice of Firm.

### NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY OPENED A BRANCH of our Firm at this Port, and have authorized Mr. G. MACKILL SMITH to Sign our Name.  
MARGESSON & Co.  
Canton, 1st April, 1885. 537

## Intimations.

### IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, CHANCERY DIVISION.

In the Matter of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, IN LIQUIDATION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery made in the above Matter, the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR has been authorized to Pay a FIRST DIVIDEND of FIFTY CENTS in the Dollar to all CREDITORS on their approved CLAIMS received by him in London prior to the 20th November, 1884.

Holders of Notes cannot participate in the 1st DIVIDEND unless they have deposited the Notes in the hands of the Attorney of the Official Liquidator in Hongkong before the 26th day of September, 1884.

All DEPOSIT RECEIPTS, BILLS of EXCHANGE, POWERS of ATTORNEY, CERTIFICATES received in Exchange for Notes, and other Securities must be handed in before the Dividend will be paid.

All CREDITORS who have not already sent in their CLAIMS to the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR in London are requested to do so at once in accordance with the Notice given in the Hongkong Daily Press Newspaper on the 13th, 16th and 20th August, 1884, and in the Hongkong Government Gazette on the 16th, 23rd and 30th August, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the above Dividend will be payable at the OFFICES of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, on and after the 17th Instant, between the Hours of 10 A.M. and 3 P.M., (on SATURDAYS from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.), to the Persons entitled, having regard only to the Claims of which notice shall have been received, and which have been admitted.

Dated the 13th day of April, 1885.  
J. MELVILLE MATSON,  
H. HOWARD TAYLOR,  
Attorneys for the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, IN LIQUIDATION.

KELLY & WALSH have just Published in 2 Thick Vols. Demy 8vo., Paper Covers \$7.50, or Cloth \$8.50.  
FERGUSON'S MANUAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW. Also, in demy 4to, cloth bound, THE SIX GREAT CHANCERIES OF THE EAST, containing 15,000 Selected Words, with Related Spaces for filling in Private Codes. 483 KELLY & WALSH.

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 27, PRINCE STREET.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANNAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

## HAIR.

Possesses a vitality of its own that often outlives the rest of the physical organism. More frequently, however, either through disease, nervous weakness, or age, it falls out, turns gray, or loses its color.

Ayer's Hair Vigor Cures the disease of the scalp and hair; strengthens hair that is naturally weak; nourishes and invigorates torpid hair roots; cures itching humors, and restores the natural color, and restores the hair to its natural growth, and restores the hair to its natural growth, and restores the hair to its natural growth.

Ayer's Hair Vigor is also a Toilet Luxury Superior to all other preparations for the dressing of the hair. It imparts a silken softness, lustre and luxuriance of growth, and not only cures Scald Head, itching humors, Tetter Sores, Dandruff, etc., but averts them, and prevents the hair falling out and turning gray.

PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all druggists.

Agents for HONGKONG, CANAL AND MANILA. A. S. WATSON & Co.

## For Sale.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE NOW RECEIVED THEIR NEW SUPPLY

OF CALCUTTA PITH

Helmets and Sun Hats.

THIS SEASON'S PARCEL contains

A LARGE VARIETY OF NEW SHAPES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 21, 1885. 409

## ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

## Intimations.

### THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the above-named Company, No. 14, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of April, 1885, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of CONFIRMING the Special Resolution proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 28th day of March, 1885.

Dated the 30th day of March, 1885.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
SAMUEL J. GOWER, Secretary.

## Intimations.

### THE MITSUBISHI BISHI MAIL S.S. Co.

having taken over the NAGASAKI DOCK, SLIP and ENGINEERING WORKS, are now prepared to Dock and Repair Vessels, at moderate terms. The DOCK is one of the largest and best in the Port, being 421 feet long and 89 feet broad, and having a depth of water on blocks at spring tides of 27 feet and near tides 22 feet.

The SHOPS contain Machine-tools of all descriptions and compound Engines up to 1,000 horse-power. The heaviest class of work can be undertaken at the shortest notice.  
Powerful lifting SHEARS are being erected.  
For further Particulars, apply to H. J. H. TRIPP, Agent.

Hongkong, December 18, 1884. 2135

## Intimations.

### D. K. GRIFFITH & Co.

MANUFACTURERS OF THE LONDON AERATED WATERS, Have Removed from the DEACONSFIELD ARCADE to larger Premises 1, DUDDELL STREET.

Where they continue to Supply: SODA WATER, LEMONADE, GINGERBREAD, SWEET, RASPBERRYADE, &c., &c., &c.  
At the same Moderate Charges.  
D. K. GRIFFITH, Proprietor.

Hongkong, July 28, 1884. 1246

## Intimations.

### JUST RECEIVED

SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, April 11, 1885. 618

## Intimations.

### Thirteenth Volume of the 'CHINA REVIEW.'

Now Ready.

No. 4.—Vol. XIII.—OF THE 'CHINA REVIEW' CONTAINS—

The Historical Characteristics of Taoism. The Restoration of the Jade Stone Ring. Names of Western Countries in the Shiki. The Six Great Chancellors of Tsin. A Chip from Chinese History, or the Last Two Emperors of the Great Sung Dynasty, 1101-1126.

More about Turke, Tibetans, Koreans, &c. Corea Mountain Lore. De Legge on Lieh-Tze. Collectanea Bibliotheca. Notices of New Books. Notes and Queries.—Lilia.

Castanea-Reverens. Household Expenses. Salt Boreness. Cattle Taxes. Tax on Rashes. Funds in Aid. Articles of Tribute. The Squences Squashed. Extra Taxation. Coinage. Modern Armaments. Poisoned Arrow. Gold used in Poison. The Tera Ula. Note in reference to Mr. Parker's Article on the Old Language. The Water Chestnut. Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c. To Contributors.

Hongkong, April 11, 1885.

## NOTICE.

### ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL HOLDERS of NOTES of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (HONGKONG BRANCH), are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidators of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange, a certificate of the value of the Notes deposited.

HOLDERS of NOTES will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number and Amount of each Note produced.

Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

## For Sale.

### FOR SALE.

EXTRA FINE QUALITY FRENCH BUTTER.

BRAND 'DUO DE NORMANDIE,'—THE OLDEST BUTTER.

PACKING ESTABLISHMENT IN NORMANDY.

IN 1 1/2 tins and Cases of 48 tins each. Sold in Quantities of not less than one dozen tins, at \$6 per Dozen. Reduction made to Purchasers of one case and upwards.

G. R. LAMBERT, Sole Agent.

Hongkong, October 4, 1884. 1683

## FOR SALE.

### A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT.

Dr. E. J. EITEL.

CHOW CHOW, PP. 1018.

HONGKONG, 1877-1883.

Part I. A-K, \$2.50

Part II. K-M, \$2.50

Part III. M-T, \$3.00

Part IV. T-Y, \$3.00

A Reduction of ten per cent. will be allowed to purchasers of ten or more copies.

This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kangxi's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chinese characters in practical use, and while alphabetically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronunciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is by no means confined to the Cantonese Dialect, but the work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, ancient and modern, as used all over the Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purpose of a philological guide to the student.

A Supplement, arranged for being bound and used by itself, containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, will be published and sold separately.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, January 16, 1885. 151

## FOR SALE.

### COURSE, DISTANCE, AND AVERAGE SPEED TABLES.

FROM LONDON, via THE SUEZ CANAL, TO INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN, &c., WITH VARIOUS OTHER TABLES AND NOTES.

W. A. GULLAND.

To be obtained at the 'CHINA MAIL' OFFICE, FROM MESSRS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., n. FALCONER & Co., Hongkong, September 2, 1884. 1475

## FOR SALE.

A HOUSE at the PEAK, with Large TENNIS GROUND attached. A good View of the Harbour and out to Sea.

Apply to 'PEAK,' c/o THE OFFICE.

Hongkong, April 11, 1885. 614

## To Let.

### TO LET.

NEW BUNGALOW—FURNISHED, at Mount Kellett Spur. FIVE ROOMS, LARGE BATHROOM, OUT HOUSES, TENNIS COURT.

Possession from April.

Apply to JOHN D. HUTCHISON, 24, Stanley Street.

Hongkong, April 6, 1885. 583

## STORAGE.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE in Commodious and well ventilated GODOWNS on his New Premises in DUDDELL STREET, next to the ORIENTAL BANK.

G. R. LAMBERT.

Hongkong, December 27, 1884. 2178

## TO LET.

### 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS' (late HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS), Single Rooms or SUITE of APARTMENTS.

Nos. 4 and 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, No. 25B, PRINCE CENTRAL, No. 44, GRAMER STREET, No. 5, FERRIS HILL.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1885. 506

## TO LET.

### OFFICES and CHAMBERS, No. 7, QUEEN'S ROAD, lately occupied by Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Apply to BIRD & PALMER, Who will exhibit Plans and arrange Offices to suit applicants.

Hongkong, April 8, 1885. 597

## TO LET.

NO. 4, WEST TERRACE. Entry from 1st April.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 4, PRINCE CENTRAL.

Hongkong, April 1, 1885. 584

## TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 38, CAUSEWAY ROAD. Possession from 1st January, 1885.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAFAIR & Co.

Hongkong, December 23, 1884. 2164

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALEDONIA, TASMANIA and FIJI.)

The Steamship *Tonnadice*, Captain GREEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 15th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1885. 619

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

FOR HONGKONG AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship *Polythymia*, Captain BORME, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1885. 620

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK.

The Company's Steamer *Kong Beng*, Captain R. JORDAN, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1885. 618

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship *Japan*, Captain T. S. GARDNER, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 8, 1885. 595

## Shipping.

### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship *Wangang*, Capt. D. DE ST. CHOI, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m.

This Steamer has superior First-class Passenger Accommodation specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, April 7, 1885. 588

## Shipping.

### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship *Ulysses*, Capt. BARNES, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, April 10, 1885. 611

## Shipping.

### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR KIENTSIN.

The Co.'s Chartered Steamship *Leila*, Captain LUTON, will be despatched as above on or about the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, April 11, 1885. 613

## Shipping.

### STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Scythia*, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, 1







No. 6774.—APRIL 14, 1885.

The *States Times* says:—Major McCallum, R. E., Colonial Engineer, has forcibly remonstrated against the assumption by the War Office that Singapore is secondary to Hongkong in the matter of the necessity for urgency in strengthening its defences. Luckily for us, the Admiralty have recognized the strategic importance of the Straits of Malacca, and have awakened to the fact that Hongkong, which has long been styled the key of China, is only the lock, and that, since the opening of the Suez Canal, Singapore holds the key. We are informed that the proposal of a Malay submarine mining corps to do service in Ceylon, Hongkong, the Straits, and Mauritius, has been made the subject of strong representations to the War Office, and the probable result will be that the proposed corps will be limited to Ceylon and Singapore. As Ceylon has formerly a well appointed Malay corps, styled the Ceylon Rifles, which was disbanded for economic purposes, it is evident the Malay population of the Straits affords the material for a brave and warlike corps. We understand, moreover, that the nucleus of a submarine mining corps, consisting of some forty men, has been established at Telok Siga (Pulo Brani) amongst the extensive Malay divers there, and that, in the present emergency, this corps is to be increased to 120 men, and put through regular drill.

A CRUEL robbery was committed last evening on a boatwoman, named, Ching Amui, at Aberdeen. The victim of the robbery is a widow and owns a licensed sampan, No. 2033. At about 7 o'clock yesterday evening two Chinamen came to the wharf at Aberdeen and engaged her to take them to a fishing junk lying not far from the shore. After getting about half way to the junk, the two men seized the boatwoman, while another boat with two men in it came alongside and assisted the thieves. The four men then took about twenty pieces of clothing, a silver bangle, a pair of silver earrings, and other property, amounting in all to about \$50 in value, from the unfortunate widow's boat, and descended in the sampan which had boarded her. Before leaving, one of the men cut away the sail of the boat, and it was consequently some time before the boatwoman could reach the shore. When she did reach Aberdeen again she made a report of the affair at once to the police, and the two men who took passage on her boat were arrested, as well as two women in whose possession part of the stolen articles were found. The two male prisoners are described as sly scoundrels, and with the women arrested were brought up before Mr. Maclean at the Police Court this morning, when the case was remanded for further enquiries till the 20th inst.

The French gun-boat *Kerguelen* left Nagasaki for Formosa at 7 a.m. on Thursday, the 2nd instant.

Men-of-war in Nagasaki harbour on the 4th instant were—British: *Shanghai* and *Wanderer*; Russian: *Vladimir Monakh* and *Oprichnik*; Japanese: *Rijyukan*.

SOME of our contemporaries mentioned that the Kiocho Unyu Company contemplates opening a new line of steamers to Hongkong and to Pusan and Inchon in Korea, but after enquiries we find there is no truth in the rumour. There has been much talking, but nothing has been decided.—*Baldie Shingo*.

The *Nichi Nichi Shimbun* says:—The Chinese Government have given instructions, by telegraph, to their Minister in Tokyo, to make an investigation into the finances, population of Japan, the organization of its Army and Navy, and to report to the Home Government. The Minister has commenced purchasing books upon these subjects.

BOMBAY, 26th March.—A *Bombay Gazette* telegram says that though the headquarters have been removed to Dongola, Korti will continue to be garrisoned.

A Times of India telegram says there is a painful impression in London Clubs that General McNeill allowed the India contingent to be surprised, but General Graham holds him blameless. The cables rushed on the 17th Bengal N. I. and threw them into confusion.

The Amer's personal following and servants number 700, troops 800, horses and ponies 1,700. The police are taking stringent precautions to secure the safety of the Amer's person during his stay at Peshawar. A presentation of Rupees twenty thousand will be made to the Amer at Peshawar, again at Attock and Rawalpindi. The cost of decorating the houses at Peshawar for the Amer exceeds fifty thousand rupees. He desires to travelling by train and expressed a desire to visit in Viceregal carriages with suite to Rawalpindi. The official title of the Amer has been altered to Amer of Afghanistan.

A story which, if true, ought to teach Celestials not to place too much faith in native fortune-tellers, is related to us as having happened in Shanghai during last year. A Chinaman, afflicted with the existing Manchu lottery mania, invested in a ticket, and being advised by a fortune-teller that to insure good luck the ticket should be tied to a black cat's tail until the drawing took place, he immediately proceeded to enlist the services of a household pet. The scheme worked to a charm; a prize of \$1,000 was drawn. The family of the lucky Celestial, on hearing the joyful intelligence, made a rush for the box in which the cat was kept, and she was there, sure enough, tail and all, but the ticket was gone. Puss, objecting to the decoration, had eaten it. We are told there is now one cat less in Shanghai, and the wards of Sinez Refuge are reported to re-echo the shrieks of an unfortunate inmate, writhing in indescribable terror at myriads of cats which threaten him on all sides.—*Mercury*.

rules of partnership, and notice of his retirement was duly given to the plaintiffs, and that notwithstanding their full knowledge of his retirement, they continued to deal with the Bank and made further advances, and various arrangements with the said Bank concerning their money deposits, and subsequently stated an account against the Bank. Mr. Francis, in his answer, denied that he was ever a partner in the Bank, and denied that his name was ever used in connection with the Bank, and that the plaintiffs' account was correct or not, but he believed plaintiffs advanced money to the Chien Sun Wo Bank, as appeared from the books of the Bank. Mr. Aikroyd was not represented.

Mr. Francis asked leave to amend his petition by striking out the names of those who had neither filed an answer nor appeared. These were:—Lee Min Kwong Tong, Kwok Yin Kai, Leung Kiu, Lai Min Kok, Chey Tze Heung, Hei Tze Yau, Lai Wai Fung, Wai Wing Tong, Leung Yau, Choh Choh Sook and Tam Siu Yit Tong. There still remained:—Yen Tze Hi, and Chiu Yui Tin, Kwok Yui Lo, Tze Chune, and Leo Tai Cheung (Trustees of the deed of assignment by Leung On), and Lo Wing Yip. The Court granted leave to amend.

Mr. Francis said that in the case of the defendant Lo Hok Ping (the complainant of the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank) a question of identity arose. Mr. Francis had considerable amount of evidence to prove that Lo Hok Ping and Lo Wing Yip were the same person, and he had letters to prove that in connection with other doings and transactions that Lo Hok Ping was accustomed to sign his name, and to represent himself as Lo Wing Yip.

Mr. Francis then called his evidence.

When the case was adjourned, at 4 o'clock, the evidence for the plaintiffs had not been concluded. The hearing will be resumed to-morrow, at 10.30.

#### Police Intelligence.

(Before E. Maclean, Esq.)

Tuesday, April 14.

THE ROBBERY IN THE PUBLIC GARDENS. Chiu Ahung and Tam Ping, the men charged yesterday with stealing a hand bag containing \$3 and sundry articles, from the person of Miss Josephine M. Coutant, in the Botanical gardens, on the 11th inst., were brought up on remand.

Some further evidence was given by Inspector Perry as to the arrest of the prisoners at 55 Square St., from information received.

There was no evidence produced against the second defendant, and he was discharged. The first defendant, being against whom a warrant for arrest was issued, was remanded to the Police Prison for two months' hard labour; the first and last seven days to be in solitary confinement.

#### HOUSE LARCENY FROM THE PERSON.

Chiu Ahung, 19, dockworker, with four previous convictions recorded against him, was charged with stealing from the person of Leung Amui, a married woman, a pair of earrings and drops, worth \$6, and also with cutting and wounding the complainant who created his wound. When the complainant was walking in New East St., at about 11 a.m. yesterday, the defendant came up behind and snatched her earrings. Complainant chased the prisoner, who was stopped by a constable on the 11th inst., and a constable attempted to take the prisoner to the station, the latter drew a dagger and inflicted two cuts upon the constable; one on the finger and one on the forearm.

The case was remanded till to-morrow.

#### LARCENY.

Loong Ahung, an old offender, was sent to prison for one month, the last fortnight to be in solitary confinement, for stealing some fireworks, value 6 cents, from a shop in Wing Wing Street, yesterday morning.

#### ANOTHER OLD OFFENDER.

Lum Asy, a hawker, with three previous convictions, was convicted of unlawful possession of three silk handkerchiefs, and was sent to prison for six months' hard labour; the first and last fourteen days to be in solitary confinement.

#### THE FA GAMBLING.

Lau Tsau, residing at Shau-ki-wan, was convicted of keeping an open house for the sale of Tazhi lottery tickets, and was fined \$50 in default of one month's imprisonment with hard labour.

#### TONG-KI, living on the second floor of No. 265 Queen's Road Central, was also

prosecuted by the same agent for the sale of tea tickets and was fined \$50 in default of one month's imprisonment. A reward of \$5 was given to the informant who gave evidence in the case.

(Before H. E. Waddell, Esq.)

THE RECENT APPEAL CASE.

This morning Mr. Denby, of Messrs Denby and Messing, appeared for the plaintiffs, and Mr. Yung Aohi, sentenced to six months' imprisonment on the 9th March. It will be remembered that Yung Aohi was charged with having committed larceny on board the British steamer *Yorkshire*, while the steamer was on the high seas, on the 22nd Feb., at all events, when the larceny was committed, and the Magistrate sentenced him to six months' imprisonment for the same offence. Against this decision the accused appealed to the Supreme Court, when the Chief Justice and the Justice of Appeal ordered the case to be committed for trial at the Criminal Sessions, as they thought the evidence against the accused doubtful. On the case being mentioned this morning, his Worship entered into a long explanation justifying his action in the case. He said it was quite correct that he did state that Mr. Denby, when he appeared, that he was not necessary for the defence of a solicitor, but he explained that his reason for doing so was because he had then made up his mind to dismiss the case. However, at this point, by an answer to a chance question, he happened to put to Mr. Pollock, about the case, that it was "high duty to convict the man; and when he came to this conclusion, he was only too glad to have the assistance of a solicitor. He also admitted that Mr. Denby did object to the two cases being tried together, but he held that the evidence given in the one case affected the other. Another reason for deciding the case summarily was that the ship was going away, the depositions could not therefore be used, even if he committed the case for trial, and although no evidence was given as to the man's character, evidence could have been given to show that the man did not hold the good character the Supreme Court considered he did. He then intimated that he was to give legal advice to the two cases being tried together, but he held that the evidence given in the one case affected the other. Another reason for deciding the case summarily was that the ship was going away, the depositions could not therefore be used, even if he committed the case for trial, and although no evidence was given as to the man's character, evidence could have been given to show that the man did not hold the good character the Supreme Court considered he did. He then intimated that he was to give legal advice to the two cases being tried together, but he held that the evidence given in the one case affected the other. He would reserve this decision for a week.

#### The British-Russo Trouble.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

Collette, 21st March.—Mahratta Rajahs have offered to place the whole of their State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the disposal of the Government of India, in view of possible complications on the Afghan frontier. Arrangements for passing 30,000 men in the Pashin Valley, at short notice, have been made. The Maharaja has offered to place the whole of his State, and, more especially, at the



